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Letter dated 17 September 2012 from the Permanent Representative of Azerbaijan to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

In accordance with instructions received from the Government of the Republic of Azerbaijan, I have the honour to draw your attention to ongoing violations of the ceasefire by the armed forces of the Republic of Armenia recorded for the month of July 2012 (see annex). According to the annexed information, during the reporting period, the armed forces of Armenia continued intensive fire on both the military and civilian objects in Azerbaijan from their positions in the occupied territories of Azerbaijan and from the territory of Armenia. As a result, a lieutenant of the armed forces of Azerbaijan was killed and three other Azerbaijani soldiers were wounded.

I should be grateful if you would have the present letter and the annex thereto circulated as a document of the General Assembly, under agenda items 35, 39, 67 and 83, and of the Security Council.

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Annex to the letter dated 17 September 2012 from the Permanent Representative of Azerbaijan to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

Violation of the ceasefire by the armed forces of the Republic of Armenia* for July 2012

No.	*Date*	*Time*	*Fire point area*	*Direction*	*Weapons used*	*Casualties and damages*
1.	1-2 July	At different times	Occupied areas near Asaghy Seyidahmedli and Horadiz villages (Fizuli district, Azerbaijan), Bash Garvand, Shykhlar, Shirvanly and Shurabad villages (Aghdam district, Azerbaijan), Kuropatkino village (Khojavand district, Azerbaijan) and Tapgaragoyunlu village (Geranboy district, Azerbaijan)	Adjacent areas	Firearm and machine gun	–
2.	3-4 July	At different times	Occupied areas near Yusifjanly village (Aghdam district, Azerbaijan) and Mehdili village (Jabrayil district, Azerbaijan)	Adjacent areas	Firearm and machine gun	–
3.	4-5 July	At different times	Berdavan village (Noyemberyan district, Armenia), the occupied Shykhlar and Shirvanly villages (Aghdam district, Azerbaijan) and the area near Seysulan, Gizil Oba and Namirli villages (Tar-Tar district, Azerbaijan)	Adjacent areas	Firearm and machine gun	–
4.	5-6 July	At different times	Occupied areas near Yusifjanly, Merzili, Garagashly and Shirvanly villages (Aghdam district, Azerbaijan), unnamed heights (Khojavand and Fizuli districts, Azerbaijan), the area near Voskevan and Berdavan villages (Noyemberyan district, Armenia) and unnamed heights (Berd district, Armenia)	Adjacent areas	Firearm and machine gun	–

* Settlements of the Republic of Azerbaijan included in this information are under the occupation by the Republic of Armenia or situated close to fire point areas.

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5.	6-7 July	At different times	Occupied areas near Ashaghy Seyidahmedli village (Fizuli district, Azerbaijan), unnamed heights (Khojavand district, Azerbaijan) and the area near Geranboy district (Azerbaijan), as well as the area near Voskevan, Shavarshavan and Voskepar villages (Noyemberyan district, Armenia)	Adjacent areas	Firearm and machine gun	–
6.	8-9 July	At different times	Occupied areas near Gorgan village (Fizuli district, Azerbaijan), Mehdili village (Jabrayil district, Azerbaijan) and the area near Tapgaragoyunlu village (Geranboy district, Azerbaijan)	Adjacent areas	Firearm and machine gun	–
7.	9 July	–	From the territory of Armenia	Agstafa district, Azerbaijan	Firearm and machine gun	Soldiers of the armed forces of Azerbaijan, Jalal Aliyev and Urfan Veliyev, were wounded
8.	9-10 July	Night hours	Occupied areas near Ashaghy Seyidahmedli, Horadiz and Garakhanbeyli villages (Fizuli district, Azerbaijan), Shykhlar and Shirvanly villages (Aghdam district, Azerbaijan), Chayly village and unnamed heights (Tar-Tar district, Azerbaijan)	Adjacent areas	Firearm and machine gun	–
9.	11 July	Night hours	Occupied areas near Ashaghy Seyidahmedli and Kuropatkino villages (Fizuli district, Azerbaijan), Shykhlar and Saryjaly villages (Aghdam district, Azerbaijan) and the area near Tapgaragoyunlu village (Geranboy district, Azerbaijan)	Adjacent areas	Firearm and machine gun	–

No.	*Date*	*Time*	*Fire point area*	*Direction*	*Weapons used*	*Casualties and damages*
10.	11-12 July	Night hours	Voskepar village (Noyemberyan district, Armenia), Berd and Motsakert villages (Ijevan district, Armenia), the occupied area near Merzili, Ashaghy Abdulrahmanly and Gorgan villages and unnamed heights (Fizuli district, Azerbaijan)	Adjacent areas	Firearm and machine gun	–
11.	13 July	Night hours	Occupied unnamed heights near Geranboy district (Azerbaijan)	Adjacent area	Firearm and machine gun	–
12.	13-14 July	At different times	The area near Shavarshavan village (Noyemberyan district, Armenia), occupied areas near Merzili, Garagashly and Shirvanly villages (Aghdam district, Azerbaijan), Mehdili village (Jabrayil district, Azerbaijan), Kuropatkino village and unnamed heights (Khojavand district, Azerbaijan) and the area near Tapgaragoyunlu village (Geranboy district, Azerbaijan)	Adjacent areas	Firearm and machine gun	–
13.	15-16 July	At different times	The area near Berkaber village (Ijevan district, Armenia), occupied areas near Tapgaragoyunlu village and unnamed heights near Geranboy district (Azerbaijan)	Adjacent areas	Firearm and machine gun	–
14.	16 July	At different times	Occupied area near Tapgaragoyunlu village (Geranboy district, Azerbaijan)	Adjacent area	Firearm and machine gun	–
15.	17-18 July	At different times	Occupied areas near Ashaghy Abdulrahmanly and Ashaghy Seyidahmedli villages (Fizuli district, Azerbaijan), Garagashly village (Aghdam district, Azerbaijan), Mehdili village (Jabrayil district, Azerbaijan) and unnamed heights near Geranboy district (Azerbaijan)	Adjacent areas	Firearm and machine gun	–

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16.	18-19 July	At different times	The area near Paravakar village (Ijevan district, Armenia), occupied areas near Garagashly village (Aghdam district, Azerbaijan), Gorgan village (Fizuli district, Azerbaijan), Tapgaragoyunlu village (Geranboy district, Azerbaijan) and unnamed heights near Dashkesen district (Azerbaijan)	Adjacent areas	Firearm and machine gun	–
17.	19-20 July	At different times	The area near Berkaber village (Ijevan district, Armenia), occupied areas near Ashaghy Veyselli and Ashaghy Seyidahmedli villages (Fizuli district, Azerbaijan) and unnamed heights near Gedabey district (Azerbaijan)	Adjacent areas	Firearm and machine gun	–
18.	20 July	–	From the territory of Armenia	Alibeyli village (Tovuz district, Azerbaijan)	Firearm and machine gun	A lieutenant of the armed forces of Azerbaijan, Jafar Jafarov, was killed
19.	21 July	Night hours	Occupied unnamed heights near Tapgaragoyunlu village (Geranboy district, Azerbaijan), Shykhlar, Shurabad and Shirvanly villages (Aghdam district, Azerbaijan), Gorgan and Ashaghy Seyidahmedli villages and unnamed heights (Fizuli district, Azerbaijan)	Adjacent areas	Firearm and machine gun	–
20.	22-23 July	At different times	Occupied areas near Tapgaragoyunlu village (Geranboy district, Azerbaijan), Saryjaly village (Aghdam district, Azerbaijan), Gorgan and Ashaghy Abdulrahmanly villages (Fizuli district, Azerbaijan) and unnamed heights near Gazakh district (Azerbaijan)	Adjacent areas	Firearm and machine gun	–

No.	Date	Time	Fire point area	Direction	Weapons used	Casualties and damages
21.	23-24 July	At different times	Unnamed heights (Krasnoselsk district, Armenia), the area near Berkaber village (Ijevan district, Armenia), occupied areas near Saryjaly, Shykhlar and Garagashli villages (Aghdam district, Azerbaijan), Gorgan village (Fizuli district, Azerbaijan), Tapgaragoyunlu village (Geranboy district, Azerbaijan) and unnamed heights near the Jabrayil and Gedabey districts (Azerbaijan)	Adjacent areas	Firearm and machine gun	–
22.	24-25 July	At different times	Occupied areas near Saryjaly village (Aghdam district, Azerbaijan), Gorgan village (Fizuli district, Azerbaijan) and unnamed heights (Geranboy district, Azerbaijan)	Adjacent areas	Firearm and machine gun	–
23.	25-26 July	At different times	Occupied areas near Gorgan village (Fizuli district, Azerbaijan), Tapgaragoyunlu village (Geranboy district, Azerbaijan) and unnamed heights (Gedabey district, Azerbaijan)	Adjacent areas	Firearm and machine gun	–
24.	25 July	Night hours	Occupied area (Jabrayil district, Azerbaijan)	Adjacent area	Firearm and machine gun	A soldier of the armed forces of Azerbaijan, Elmir Mirzayev, was wounded
25.	26-27 July	At different times	The area near Berkaber village (Ijevan district, Armenia), the occupied area near Yusifjanly village (Aghdam district, Azerbaijan), Tapgaragoyunlu village (Geranboy district, Azerbaijan) and unnamed heights (Khojavand and near Gedabey district, Azerbaijan)	Adjacent areas	Firearm and machine gun	–
26.	27-28 July	At different times	The area near Voskepan village (Noyemberyan district, Armenia), occupied area near Gorgan and Horadiz villages (Fizuli district, Azerbaijan), Mehdili village (Jabrayil district, Azerbaijan) and unnamed heights (Goygol district, Azerbaijan)	Adjacent areas	Firearm and machine gun	–

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27.	29-30 July	At different times	Occupied areas near Shykhlar, Kengerli and Shirvanly villages (Aghdam district, Azerbaijan) and Tapgaragoyunlu village (Geranboy district, Azerbaijan)	Adjacent areas	Firearm and machine gun	–
28.	30-31 July	At different times	Shavarshavan and Voskevan villages (Noyemberyan district, Armenia), Parakavar village (Ijevan district, Armenia) and unnamed heights (Krasnoselskiy district, Armenia), occupied areas near Saryjaly village (Aghdam district, Azerbaijan) and unnamed heights (Geranboy and Gedabey districts, Azerbaijan)	Adjacent areas	Firearm and machine gun	–
29.	31 July	At different times	Occupied area near Namirli village (Tar-Tar district, Azerbaijan), Ashaghy Abdulrahmanly, Gorgan and Horadiz villages (Fizuli district, Azerbaijan) and unnamed heights (Geranboy and Goygol districts, Azerbaijan)	Adjacent areas	Firearm and machine gun	–